

5 O'CLOCK EDITION.

In another column of to-day's issue will be found a communication from the County Superintendent of Public Schools. It speaks for itself, and the suggestions made are not only timely, but are entitled to serious consideration. It is with no little pride that we chronicle the growth of Reno in the past three years, which has been in the absence of any high-pressure boom or any abnormal cause. The growth has been healthful and of that permanent character that is encouraging to all. It is in part the result of legitimate local enterprise and the help of the University, which has been a money well spent, and in time will reward these taxes to pay that sum. The edifice erected is one which all can look at with pride. Getting that as a nucleus secures accessions which will greatly enhance the educational interest, not only of Reno, but its salutary influences will be felt through the home education of our boys and girls in every locality in the State. That nucleus secured the Experiment Station, which the General Government provides for, and the most valuable accession of the physical and mental training which is to be obtained from masters of military tactics, and the new buildings are soon to be erected.

While our citizens can well be proud of the University, they are not unmindful of the benefits to be derived from the eminent success of Bishop Whitaker's School for Girls and Mount St. Mary's Academy. As much as we are to be congratulated in the success of these institutions of learning, our greatest pride is, as it should be, in our public schools, in which all have an interest, and in which the poorest is the peer of the richest. As suggested, soon more room will be demanded to accommodate the youth, who will seek a common school education, and it will be best to provide for this educational demand as soon as it is practical to do so.

The journalists of the East make their periodical visits over the overland route, and ever after think of this great interior region with a kind of pity. Periodically, through their journals they give voice to the sorrow that possesses them for the unfortunate people whose lives are cast in a region so inhospitable. Their course speaks better for their hearts than their heads. They do not know the fact, but the men of the desert would not exchange places with them on any account. The elements out of which to create a living and from which to build up a fortune are much more plenty with us than with them. One paying silver mine, says the Salt Lake Tribune, is of much more value to a community than many miles square of agricultural land; in all the desert there are valleys sufficient to raise all kinds of the best fruit, cereals and vegetables; the mines supply an ample market for all these things at fair prices; while, besides the precious metals, the mountains contain unlimited deposits of the metal which makes the life of a hundred prosperous manufacturers in the East. Our friends beyond the mountains may withhold all their voluntary sympathy. The West does not need it. All we ask is that the restrictions which they have placed upon silver shall be removed and that the metal shall be put upon the basis where it was established by the fathers, and where it stood secure for nearly one hundred years, the last forty of which it remained steadily at a premium over gold. With that done the West will take care of itself and ask for neither help nor sympathy.

The Hon. L. A. Blakeslee thinks we did him an injustice in our article on the Water Storage bill. He says that we are mistaken in asserting that there was a job in the matter. He says that Clark voluntarily resigned from the post because his business was such that he could not attend to it, and that, unknown to him (Blakeslee), the Governor appointed him to fill the vacancy.

PARNELL SUSTAINED.

The Pope's Opinion of the Italian Government.

MORE FEDERAL APPOINTMENTS.

A Salt Trust with a Capital of Twenty-five Millions.

A DISRUPTED SYNDICATE.

Proposed Ship Canal Between Lakes Michigan and Superior.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

Church Correspondence.

MONTREAL, March 18.—A letter signed by Cardinal Taschereau and other prelates of the diocese of Quebec, Montreal and Ontario, was recently sent to the Pope. It sympathized with him in the loss of his temporary power and with the restrictions placed upon the Holy See by the Italian Government. In reply, a letter has been received from the Pope, commending at length on the inequality of the treatment which the church receives from the movements of Italy, which allows non-Catholics to attack the mother church, but prevents her from defending herself. Leo expresses gratitude for the filial feeling shown, not only by the high church men of Canada in their letter, but by the ecclesiastical dignitaries of other lands.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—J. N. Tyner of Indiana has been selected as Assistant Attorney-General for the Postoffice Department.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has resumed the hearing in the matter of export rates and the methods adopted by the trunk lines competing with them. The managers of a number of the lines were examined, disclosing the fact that in order to secure export business, the published inland rates have not been maintained. The roads which maintained the rates lost the most of their export business, that of the Lake Shore road dropping from 35 to 7 per cent.

Salt Trust.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., March 18.—The formation of a salt trust now seems assured. The Michigan manufacturers met here last week in secret and agreed to enter a combination. The idea is to shut down all works where fuel costs so much that there is only a narrow margin of profit, and the product of each district is to be regulated by the area it can control. The entire salt-producing territory of the country is to be included. The trust is to have a capital of \$25,000,000.

St. Patrick's Day.

NEW YORK, March 18.—At sunrise this morning the stars and stripes were run up on the main flag-staff of the City Hall; the State and municipal standards waved from the poles on the east and west wings, and the green flag of Ireland occupied a conspicuous place between the two main poles. The feature of the day was the parade reviewed by Mayor Grant.

Proposed Ship Canal.

LANSING, Mich., March 18.—W. H. Morrell of New York was here to endeavor to induce the Legislature to grant a charter for a ship canal across the upper peninsula connecting Lakes Michigan and Superior. The route is thirty-six miles long, and will save 271 miles between Chicago and Duluth.

Confirmed by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The Senate to-day confirmed the following nominations: John A. Kasson, William Walter Phelps and George H. Bates as Commissioners to the Samoan conference at Berlin; Cyrus Bussey, Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Cleveland's Birthday.

NEW YORK, March 18.—To-day ex-President Cleveland was 52 years old. He celebrated the event by starting on a Havana trip with ex-Secretary Vilas and ex-Postmaster-General Dickinson. Mrs. Cleveland remains in the Victoria Hotel.

Parnell Congratulated.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., March 18.—Many large meetings have been held in the city of Australia, and resolutions adopted congratulating Parnell on his victory over the Irish cause. Large sums were raised for the Irish cause.

A Threatened Bombardment.

BERLIN, March 18.—Dispatches say that the British residents have been warned to leave Soudani, the German Admiral having announced his intentions to bombard the place.

Temperature Report.

CHICAGO, March 18.—The temperature this morning at New York was 40°; Chicago, 35°; St. Paul, 34°; Winnipeg, 30°; and New Orleans, 62°.

Paper Suppressed.

BERLIN, March 18.—The Government has suppressed the *Folk's Zeitung* under the Socialist law.

African Tourists.

ZANESBIE, March 18.—Dr. Abbott and Thomas Stevens have gone to Mount Venia.

Death of an Actor.

BOSTON, March 18.—D. J. Magin, the well-known actor, died this morning.

Gibson's Resolutions.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The Senate opened with the Vice-President in the Chair. The resolutions heretofore introduced by Gibson for the appointment of a select committee on our relations with Mexico and Central America, were taken up. Gibson defended himself against the charge that he wanted the committee appointed in order that he, as its Chairman, might go on a junket to Mexico.

After further talk, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Commerce, and the Senate proceeded to executive business. When the doors were reopened after a short interval, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the resolution heretofore offered for the appointment of a select committee on the relations of the United States with Cuba and other West India Islands. The discussion turned on the question of the competency of the Senate in a called executive session, and after the performance of legislative functions.

Sherman said the precedents on that point all turned, not on the power of the Senate to do so, but whether it was wise to enter upon a legislative session at an extraordinary session. He thought not. After a further discussion without disposing of the question, the pending motion being to refer the resolution to the Committee on Foreign Relations, the Senate again proceeded to the consideration of executive business and adjourned.

The Copper Market.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Throughout the day excited cables from London and Paris in reference to the copper syndicate affairs continue to pour in upon the metal brokers here. The New York market, however, has not been affected in the least by the depressing news. No trading.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The *Telegram* says that the cables from Paris and London point to the utter demoralization of the foreign copper syndicates. One dispatch reports that Comptoir des Metaux has liquidated. No loss a personage than M. Mechand, President of the Bank of France, has precipitated the crisis.

There is no longer any doubt that Societe des Metaux has gone to the wall and Comptoir des Comptes, per consequence, falls into the hands of a receiver. A run has begun on the Bank of Paris; the great house of Tardieu & Co. at Lyons, has suspended, with liabilities way up in the millions. Morrison, Keckervich & Co., to whom 6,000 tons of copper were deliverable, have confessed bankruptcy.

Federal Nominations.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The President to-day nominated William H. Whiteman of New Mexico Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico.

J. G. Mason of West Virginia has been appointed Commissioner of Internal Revenue; Smith A. Whitfield of Ohio, Second Assistant Postmaster-General; Abraham D. Hazen of Pennsylvania, Third Assistant Postmaster-General; Wm. W. Thomas, Jr., of Maine, Minister to Sweden and Norway; Samuel C. Thayer of Minnesota, Minister to Meadovlands; Chas. E. Mitchell of Connecticut, Commissioner of Patents; Nathan O. Murphy of Arizona, Secretary of Arizona; J. O. Ward of Oregon, Ambassador of Merchandise in the District of Willamette in Oregon and Washington.

The President's Callers.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—General B. F. Butler was among the President's callers to-day; also Secretary Blaine, Windom and Noble.

West's Smoke.

PROBIA, Ill., March 18.—The furniture store of Comstock & Avery was burned this morning. Loss, \$100,000.

Death of an Author.

LONDON, March 18.—Samuel Carter Hill, the writer, is dead.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Bar silver, 93 3/4.
Justice Matthews is better.
Captain Wissman started from Cairo for Zanzibar to-day.

A NEW PROFESSION.

A woman who handles all the preliminaries of weddings. A new occupation for a woman is that of superintendent of weddings, says the *New York Mail*. A young woman in her late twenties who makes a success of the profession is installed in or near the house of the bride prospective some little time before the ceremony. She selects the trousseau advises what is the latest and finest in underwear, buys the material, designs and makes or superintends the making of the gowns. She is in *au fait* in stockings, boots, gloves, lace and handkerchiefs. She sees to the millinery and wraps. She gowns the bride's mother and the younger sisters, if any. She dictates to the bridesmaids, and is the fairy godmother who thinks of everything and lets the engaged couple enjoy themselves with unalloyed merriment. One family who have found her invaluable recommend her to another, and she has obtained quite a clientele.

The Nearest Man Yet.

An exchange says: A man living in this county, who owes over two years' subscription, put his paper back in the postoffice marked "refused." We have heard of many mean men—there is the man who used the wart on his neck for a collar button, and who pastured a goat on his grandmother's grave, and one who stole the coppers from a dead nigger's eyes, and who got rich by giving his friends a nickel each to go to bed without their supper, and then stealing the nickels after the children were asleep—but for pure downright cunningness the man who will take a paper for two years, mark it "refused" and stick it back in the postoffice is entitled to first premium.

Quarrelsome Indians.

At the San Carlos Reservation the Indians have had a row among themselves, the fight resulting in the killing of one man and the fatal wounding of another. Two weeks ago they had a drunken fight, with the result that five Indians were killed.

Too Much Salvation.

Jennie Hamilton, one of the "lady helps" brought from Ireland to Victoria, B. C., some months ago by Canon Cooper of Kamloops, was sent to the Westminster Asylum yesterday, having become insane through attending the meetings of the Salvation Army.

Seal Fishing.

For seals are running in large numbers some fifteen miles from the mouth of the Columbia river. Three schooners made good catches last week. Each seal is worth \$8.

When a person tells you they never had such a cold in their life take their word for it and advise them to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and cure it. For coughs, colds and hoarseness it has no equal. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker.

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FIFTY CENTS PER WEEK.

All classes of legitimate advertisements, not exceeding six lines, inserted in this column for fifty cents per week.

Furniture for Sale.

THE KITCHEN TREASURY, formerly advertised at \$2, will now be sold for \$1, at the Reno Furniture Store. Parties who have purchased from me during last year at higher prices can have difference returned by applying to [redacted] W. L. NEEDHAM.

For Sale.

A HARD-FINISHED SIX-ROOM HOUSE, corner lot, facing east, good well, nice shade trees, etc. Inquire of [redacted] M. HAWCROFT, Western Addition, Reno.

Musical Entertainment.

THE LADIES OF THE BAPTIST CHURCH will give a literary and musical entertainment at the Baptist Church, including a good lunch. Tuesday evening, March 19th at 7:30 P. M. Admission 10c; lunch 15c. Inquire of Mrs. Lizzie Fine on premises.

House For Rent.

ON FRANKLIN STREET—FIVE ROOMS and hall; also a good well and hydrant water, with a small bearing orchard. Inquire of Mrs. Lizzie Fine on premises.

For Sale.

CHEAP, ONE FAIR GOOD WORK horse, one set double harness, one good two-horse wagon. M. HAWCROFT, Western Addition, Reno.

Lost.

A PAIR OF GOLD EYE-GLASSES, between Butler Photograph Gallery and Virginia street. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving them at Mrs. Needham's Lodging House, corner Commercial Row and Virginia street.

Situation Wanted.

A YOUNG MARRIED WOMAN WOULD like a steady situation in a private family. Address [redacted] MRS. G. HALL, Reno, Nevada.

Position Wanted.

A COOK, INQUIRE AT THE RESIDENCE OF G. H. CUMMINGS, 15 Center street.

For Rent.

A HOUSE ON FOURTH STREET, RENO. Apply to [redacted] R. L. FULTON.

To Rent.

NICE, FURNISHED ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping and single rooms for gentlemen. Inquire of [redacted] S. M. FASSETT.

For Sale.

WINDOW WEIGHTS ALWAYS ON hand and for sale at the [redacted] UNION IRON WORKS.

Combination Wire Fence.

MANUFACTURED HERE, AND FOR sale at the Pavilion. The best chicken fence made, and as durable as inch boards. Inquire of Young & Co., Reno.

Work Horses for Sale.

FOR SALE AT MY RANCH, ON Truckee Meadows, six young and well broke work horses. Inquire of [redacted] GEO. ALT.

For Sale.

TWO DESIRABLE TOWN LOTS, 50x60, with water sufficient for irrigation, fronting on East Mill street. Price, \$200 per lot. Apply to [redacted] R. H. LINDSAY.

For Sale.

ONE NEW STUBBARDER PHAETON; one set of harness made to order for sale. Inquire of [redacted] T. K. HYMERS.

House for Sale.

SITUATED ON WEST STREET, RENO, near the center of town. Inquire of [redacted] J. S. SHOEMAKER.

Dancing School.

AT THEATRE HALL EVERY WEDNESDAY evening, commencing at 7:30. S. D. UPSON.

For Sale at a Bargain.

100 ACRES GOOD LAND WITH 20 inches of water, also 16 lots, all adjoining, with hard-finished houses, situated south side river within incorporated limits, fronting on Virginia road. Inquire of [redacted] C. W. JONES or A. E. ROSS.

House for Sale.

SITUATED IN THE CENTRAL PART of town. Inquire of [redacted] C. A. BRAGG.

Wood Sawing.

I AM PREPARED TO SAW AND SPLIT wood by the job at reasonable rates. Leave orders at Folson & Wells'. [redacted] W. H. HANNA.

For Sale or Trade.

WERNER HAS A NUMBER OF fine wagons and carriages for sale or trade at his carriage paint shop, over T. E. Hymer's stable. Fine chance for a good bargain. [redacted] H. WERNER.

Brooklyn's Steam Candy Factory.

THE FIRST CANDY FACTORY IN Reno. Fresh candy every hour. Call and get prices of quantities or by the barrel. Wholesale prices same as San Francisco. [redacted] C. J. BROOKINS.

Reno Evening Gazette

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Agricultural Experiment Station, for March 15, 1889.

	7 A.M.	9 P.M.	5 P.M.
Barometer	24.907	24.831	24.874
Temperature	54.8	50.9	36.8
Relative humidity	77.8	45.2	73.0

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Barometer	25.309	25.267	25.207
Temperature	53.1	49.9	47.8
Relative humidity	71.1	58.3	57.9

Agricultural Experiment Station, for March 17, 1889.

	7 A.M.	9 P.M.	5 P.M.
Barometer	25.309	25.267	25.207
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Relative humidity	71.1	58.3	57.9

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Condition of the weather at the points named at 7 o'clock this morning:

Ogden—Clear and calm; 42 degrees above zero.
 Carlin—Clear, west wind; 40 degrees above zero.
 Battle Mountain—Cloudy, south wind; 46 degrees above zero.
 Winnemucca—Cloudy, south wind; 40 degrees above zero.
 Humboldt—Cloudy, calm; 32 degrees above zero.
 Reno—Clear, south-west wind; 56 degrees above zero.

United States Signal Service predictions for the twenty-four hours beginning at 12 M. to-day: Generally fair weather; nearly stationary temperature.

W. McN. MILLER, Observer.

Monday, March 18, 1889

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PALACE HOTEL—J. Godfrey, Eureka; J. B. Lannon, C. Moore and wife, O. Sheridan and wife, Virginia; J. Bennett, Silver City; Miss May Higgins, San Diego; Miss N. Holding, Chicago; N. S. O. Brine, J. Patrick, New York; M. D. Hane, Kansas City; C. V. Wiley, Missouri; Miss M. M. Long, Miss A. Doney, Chicago; G. B. Harris, W. O. Blair, Denver; J. Hawkins, Sacramento; J. J. Moore, Lancaster, Va.; N. Michaels, Wadsworth; Al Wilson, Reno.
DEPOT HOTEL—M. D. Foley, Eureka; C. Wilson, D. Edwards, J. Kelly; J. Wheeler, M. B. Hunt, H. Franklin, B. Lowden, J. S. Gregory, San Francisco; F. B. Syden, Indianapolis; C. F. Ford and wife, Carson; Mrs. D. Con and daughter, E. D. Boyd, J. Madgin, Miss Madgin, F. C. Lord, J. J. McCormick, Miss S. J. Gentry, Virginia; Mrs. Arlinna, N. H. A. Macleod, L. A. Bickel, E. Derby, S. M. Turner and wife, F. Seaman, J. Keller, —, A. G. Stoll; D. Carter, Sacramento; J. O. Barlow, Ogden; H. H. Bright, St. Louis; F. Winzell, J. J. Fink and wife, W. B. Fink, —, and wife, I. Balm, New York; Dr. Redman and wife, Santa Barbara.

JOTTINGS.

Candies, oranges, lemons and Long Valley apples at J. N. Wallace's grocery store.
 Purses, pocket-books, card cases, bibles, prayer-books, hymnals and writing desks at C. A. Thurston's news depot.
 C. J. Brooks continues to supply all corners with the best iron-frame pianos and organs at manufacturers' prices.
 The best experts do not hesitate to pronounce George Becker's Pacific beer equal to any brew that is brought to this market.
 The Riverside Hotel is the place to go for genuine home comfort. Their meals are always well cooked and artistically served.
 By taking your meals at the Depot Hotel you will never have any use for patent nostrums which are advertised to "assist digestion."
 During this cool weather those hot lunches of J. J. Becker are very comforting to those who have no time to go home for their noon meals.
 Miss Emma Gibbs is just in receipt of a new stock of Spring millinery goods which the ladies of Reno and vicinity should examine at once.
 If you want to see the finest stock of fresh meats ever hung up in a Reno market, drop in at John Fraser's place of business on the east side of Virginia street.
 The Reno Furniture Store, Virginia street, near the bridge, is now offering goods at San Francisco prices—same as advertised by Bruener of Sacramento, in spite of dull times. He claims good sales.

Progress.

It is very important in this age of vast material progress that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taken, accessible to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle diuretic known.

Make no mistake.

By dispelling the symptoms so often mistaken for Consumption, Santa Abla has brought gladness to many a household. By its prompt use for breaking up the cold that too often develops into that fatal disease, thousands can be saved from an untimely grave. You make no mistake by keeping a bottle of this pleasant remedy in your house. **CALIFORNIA CATARRH** is equally effective in eradicating all traces of Nasal Catarrh. Both of these wonderful California remedies are sold and warranted by Osburn & Shoemaker. \$1.00 a package or 3 for \$2.50.

This is the season of the year when the raw, cold winds quiver and many hands and a clear "peachy" complexion can be secured by the frequent application of Talcum Powder. It rubs into the skin well and leaves no greasy stain. The skin shines. Sold by William F. Rogers.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

Election of Officers, Appointment of Committees—Other Business.

The annual meeting of the State Board of Agriculture was held at Reno Saturday Present—President Winters and Directors Bailey, Evans, Martin, Mulcahy, Flint and Powning.

The unfinished business of the Fair of 1888 was closed up, various bills allowed.

On motion Theo. Winters was re-elected President by a unanimous vote. C. H. Stoddard was re-elected Secretary by a unanimous vote.

Alvaro Evans was re-elected Supt. of the Fair Grounds by a unanimous vote. L. J. Flint was elected Supt. of the Pavilion by a unanimous vote.

C. T. Bender was re-elected Treasurer by a unanimous vote.

The President appointed Directors P. H. Mulcahy, C. C. Powning and L. J. Flint as the Printing Committee for the ensuing year.

The President appointed Directors L. J. Flint, A. Evans, Theodore Winters, P. H. Mulcahy, C. C. Powning and W. O. H. Martin the Executive Committee for the ensuing year.

The President appointed Directors P. H. Mulcahy, L. J. Flint and W. O. H. Martin as a Committee to Revise and Arrange the Catalogue for 1889.

beason tickets for the Fair of 1889 were placed at \$5. Said ticket admits a family, but no children over 15 years of age.

Single season tickets, for gentlemen or lady, were placed at \$3.

Single admission at the Fair Grounds or Pavilion was fixed at 50 cents.

Director Martin offered the following resolution, which was adopted by a vote of six to one:

Resolved, The action of the Legislature in declining to appropriate any money for the payment of premiums or running expenses of the State Fair of 1888-90 makes it imperative necessary for the Board of Directors to again call upon the citizens of Reno and Washoe county for aid and assistance so that a fair worthy of the name be held and said Board respectfully requests a contribution of \$1,500 from the patriotic citizens of this public-spirited community, and solicits R. W. Parry, J. A. Fitzgerald and T. K. Hynes to canvass the town and present this appeal on behalf of the Board of Agriculture.

The U. P. Survey.

A citizen of Reno is in receipt of a telegram from J. R. Gates of the Union Pacific, requesting him to make arrangements for two four-horse teams to transport a corps of engineers through the country north of Reno. The Gazette's informant said that they intended to start at Chat, on the line of the N. & C., and taking the topography of the Beckwith Pass down through the Sierra Nevada Mountains, then they were to move further north and make a survey. This doesn't look possible for them to come to Reno at all.

Curt Mason of Salt Lake informed the GAZETTE a day or two ago that the U. P. was running a bluff, and he did not believe they intended coming this way at all, if, indeed, they intended doing anything.

The Regency.

D. L. Bliss informs the GAZETTE that he will under no consideration accept the University Regency. He says that he has not the time to give it the attention that it deserves. He informed the reporter that he was in favor of Hon. S. D. King, and thought it would be the correct thing for the Governor to appoint him, for he believed in removing it as far as possible from political influences.

Improvements.

S. Saunders bought the Poor place on Sierra street the other day for \$2,250 and is having sewer connections made, and is otherwise improving the property. Just opposite he is building a very pretty little cottage for Herman Thyes. Mr. Saunders now owns from the alley back of his Sierra street residence clear through to Virginia street.

State Land Office.

During the week ending March 15th fifteen applications for State land were filed, embracing 2,890.35 acres.

CASH RECEIPTS.

Payments at time of application, \$720.10
 Payments on contracts, 37.76
 Interest payments, 1,366.74
 Total, \$2,124.60

Should be stopped.

The habit of many boys and some girls of jumping on and off the C. P. passenger trains while in motion in the Reno yard will result in some of them losing a limb unless stopped. They pay no attention to the admonitions of the yard men, who never fail to warn them of the certain result of their reckless acts.

Found Guilty.

L. H. Davis, who was arrested last week for stealing \$22.30 from a young lady at the hospital, had his trial to-day and was found guilty by Judge Young, and was committed for sentence to-morrow at 10 o'clock. District Attorney Allen represented the State.

Artesian Water.

E. J. Wood returned Saturday evening from Paradise Valley, where he negotiated the sale of one of the American Well Works boring machines. The Paradise people are determined to know whether or not artesian water can be had in their valley.

Did Not Halt.

One of the noble red men gave Constable Upson a chase this morning. He was too fleet for his pursuer, who fired his revolver, thinking of stopping him, who failed to notice his command to halt.

The Mint Superintendency. It is understood that Senator Stewart favors Hon. S. C. Wright of Carson as Superintendent of the Mint. Should Mr. Wright get the appointment he would make a most excellent superintendent.

Stock Whipsnorts.

George Humphrey this morning shipped four cars of beef cattle to Schoenfeldt & Jones, San Francisco; and Joe Wheeler shipped seven cars to Foley, Heilbron & Co., same place.

SCHOOL MATTERS.

A Communication from the County Superintendent of Schools.

EDITOR GAZETTE: The school interest is one worthy of, and does receive general commendation, and it entitles the town to special recognition as an educational center. With the prospective increase of population and the fact of all the public school capacity in buildings, except the highest department, is now being fully utilized, the question of providing greater school facilities will soon have to be considered. The last school census of Reno School District shows that there are now within its limits 986 children between the ages of six and eighteen years of age, against 777 of the year preceding, and against 606 in the year 1886, making an increase of more than fifty per cent. in school children in three years.

Through the kindness of Prof. Orvis R. Flint, Principal of the Public Schools, I have learned that there were on the first of March 635 pupils enrolled in the several departments of the schools, leaving 351 children of school age to be accounted for as not attending the public schools.

I am indebted to the heads of the other institutions of learning for the statements that there are in the University about twenty children in the Training or Industrial Department, fifteen of school age in the University proper, twenty-six in Bishop Whittaker's School, and about twenty belonging to the school district in St. Mary's Academy. There are also attending schools elsewhere who are included in the Census Marshal's report.

This showing leaves about two hundred put in within the district, less the number attending schools elsewhere, who are not availing themselves of school privileges, and doubtless many of those are between the ages of eight and fourteen years, between which ages the law requires each child to attend school at least sixteen weeks consecutively in each school year.

It is a difficult task to remedy this absenteeism. The law provides the means, but it imposes such a burden upon school trustees, who receive no compensation, that it is not enforced to the letter, as much as it is to be regretted, anywhere in the State. Parents who have the means of education extended to their children as a gift are most culpable who fail to see that they do not avail themselves of the bounty of the State.

Where the whole number entitled to public instruction grows so small, it would not be sufficient capacity to accommodate them, unless the half-day system is adopted in some of the rooms.

The fact of the increasing school population demonstrates the growth of Reno and the necessity of considering the needs of more school house room in the near future.

D. ALLEN, County Supt. of Public Schools, Reno, March 18, 1889.

PERSONAL.

General C. C. Powning went below Saturday evening.

D. L. Bliss passed West last evening en route to Placerville.

Captain F. C. Lord of Virginia City was in town yesterday.

J. M. Fulton of the N. & C. O. railroad went below last night.

Joel Wilson and wife arrived this morning from Los Angeles.

Senators Boyle and Sharon of Storey county went below Saturday evening.

Eugene Pierce, Wells-Fargo's agent at Carson, was in town Saturday evening.

Hyman Frederick of Virginia City spent the Sabbath with his Reno relatives.

Lieutenant Governor Davis and family returned this morning from California.

Dr. Redmond, wife and child returned from California on this morning's express.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White came up from Wadsworth on Saturday evening's express.

N. H. A. Nelson arrived Saturday evening from Mason Valley on his way to Winnemucca.

All the Reno prints are home again, from Carson, the State office having made a draft yesterday.

D. B. Lyman and R. P. Keating of the Comstock returned from the Bay on this morning's overland.

W. D. Tobey and wife and Judge Sabun of Carson returned yesterday morning from San Francisco.

J. E. Shannon, wife and son will leave this evening for San Francisco and Oakland, where they expect to spend several months.

Mrs. Benjamin Shearer, of the Western Union office, returned this morning from Sacramento, accompanied by Mr. Shearer's invalid mother.

Al. Mills, foreman of the Virginia Chronicle, came down last night to meet his sister, who came up this morning with the remains of his mother, who died Saturday in San Francisco.

The Hon. Evan Williams, President pro tem. of the Senate, has been acting Governor for two days, during the absence from the State of Governor Stevenson and Lieutenant Governor Davis, who returned this morning.

Captain J. M. Keeler of San Francisco favored the GAZETTE office with a call Saturday morning. Mr. Keeler is largely interested in the marble quarries of Inyo county from which he expects great things in the near future.

Frank McBride of the Humboldt division of the C. P. returned this morning from California, bringing with him a brass new wife. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Hudson of California, who goes to Winnemucca on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Judge L. B. Marshall left last evening for San Francisco, where she will meet Mrs. Frieble, Department President of the Woman's Relief Corps, and they will together go to Marysville, where they will institute a corps with 150 charter members.

C. W. Coddington, Superintendent of the Tulare (Cal.) division of the Southern Pacific Railroad, died at his home in Tulare last Friday. Deceased will be remembered as a former superintendent of the Humboldt division of the C. P., where he was greatly beloved by everybody.

Rich food and lack of exercise, during the winter months, causes the system to become torpid and the blood impure. A dose or two of Dr. Patrick's Pills will cleanse and invigorate the system, purify the blood and do more good than a dollar bottle of blood purifier. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker.

Nevada stage-route horses wear snow-shoes.—Philadelphia Record.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

Stockton vagrants are sent to jail for 50 days.

Eggs are selling in Sierra Valley for twenty cents per dozen.

Fifty-four bales of P. Reynolds' wool were shipped below to-day.

The cable road at Portland, Or., is to be built by local capitalists.

The Gazette is pained to hear of the continued illness of Senator Emmitt.

The Truckee Republican reports five feet of snow on the summit of the Sierras.

The Supervisors of El Dorado county, Cal., have raised the liquor license from \$15 to \$45.

An attempt was made last Thursday to burn the Custom-house at Port Townsend, W. T.

Two drunks, one a squaw and the other a white man, were taken in by the police last night.

Eighteen bars of bullion from the Con. Virginia mine went below last evening per Wells-Fargo.

The Carson Tribune is of the opinion that ex-Governor Adams lobbied the Trespass bill through the Legislature.

The beef market is again looking up a little. Six cents are readily offered for prime cattle to be delivered on the foot now.

The Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias of California will hold its next annual session at Fresno on Tuesday, April 9th.

Mason Valley potatoes are being offered for sale at \$10 per ton, and very few buyers can be found at even these extremely low figures.

Ex-Congressman Cassidy telegraphs his paper (the Ensign) from San Diego that the new gold fields at Ensenada are a complete failure.

The Sierra Valley Leader says the recent storm was the heaviest at that point for eight years, six inches having fallen in the valley in five days.

The new sidewalk recently put down in front of Pimminger's, Her's, Peers', Frederick's and Gebhardt's places of business on Virginia street is a nice improvement.

The funeral of Mrs. Johnson's eight-year-old daughter, who died of typhoid fever, took place yesterday afternoon from the Golden Eagle Hotel, Rev. Mr. Brady officiating.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the desirable piece of property for sale. Here is an opportunity of getting a good home for a little money. Apply at the GAZETTE office.

ARBOR DAY.

Its Appointment by Proclamation of the Governor.

STATE OF NEVADA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CARSON CITY, March 13, 1889.

WHEREAS, BY AN Act of the Legislature of this State, approved February 10, 1887, "Arbor Day" is established and made "a holiday for the public schools"; and

WHEREAS, By the terms of said Act the Chief Executive is requested to make proclamation of said day thirty days prior to its observance.

THUS, I, C. C. STEVENSON, Governor of the State of Nevada, do hereby proclaim and set apart Friday, the 13th day of April, A. D. 1889, as Arbor Day, and earnestly request its observance throughout the State, especially by all the teachers and pupils of the public schools, and that said Act be read by teachers to pupils, and its wise and salutary provisions explained.

If heartily and properly observed the same may be rendered exceeding beneficial in many ways. The planting and raising of shrubs, vines and trees may be made pecuniarily profitable, and in addition thereto great benefits may arise from so doing by reason of the climatic and sanitary effects to ensue.

Let the day be well and faithfully observed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed.

Done at Carson City, Nevada, this 13th day of March, A. D., 1889.

C. C. STEVENSON, By the Governor: J. M. DORRAN, Secretary of State.

TROTTER HORSES.

A Gain of Fifty Seconds in Sixty-Five Years.

The Stock Farm says: Within the last two-thirds of a century there has been a gain in trotting of fifty seconds in the mile. This increase of speed cannot be expected to continue indefinitely, because it would annihilate time in less than one hundred and sixty years. There must be a limit when the horse has reached the utmost capacity he is capable of obtaining. When that limit will be reached is a question for future champions to decide. Nearly two minutes has been made with running mate, which may be reasonably inferred, shows that, aside from weight, the natural place of the horse is close down to two minutes. But how far this natural pace can be improved we must leave to future champions in breeding to determine.

San Francisco Meat Market.

Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers in San Francisco:

Beef—First quality, 6¢@6½¢; second quality, 5¢@5½¢; third quality, 4½¢@5¢ per pound.

Veal—Quotable at 6¢@7¢ for large, and 6¢@6½¢ per pound for small.

Mutton—Quotable at 6¢@7¢ per pound.

Lamb—Spring, 10¢@12½¢ per pound.

Pork—Live Hogs, on foot, grain fed, 6½¢@6¢; soft, 5½¢@6¢; dressed, 9½¢@10¢ per pound.

Disinfecting an Unseen Foe.

"This was sometime a paradox," as Hamlet says. Since, however, the people of America and other lands have been enabled to pierce the stomach of Bacteria against that unseen foe, malaria, it is no longer a paradox, but an easy possibility. Whenever malaria evolves its misty venom to poison the air, and decaying unwholesome vegetation impregnates the water, there, in the very stronghold of malarial, is the auxiliary potent to disarm the foe and assure efficient protection. Fever and ague, bilious remittent, dumb ague and ague cake, no matter how tenaciously they have fastened their clutch on the system, are first forced to relax their grasp and eventually to abandon it altogether. And it is this preventive force that should chiefly recommend the Bitters to persons dwelling in malarial-cursed localities, for it is a certain barrier of defense against which the enemy is powerless. Cures, likewise, dyspepsia, rheumatism, kidney and bilious ailments.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

K. Bainbridge, Munday Box, County Atty., Clay Co., Texas, says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother, who was very low with Malaria Fever and Jaundice, but was cured by the timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: "He positively believes he would have died had it not been for Electric Bitters."

This great remedy will ward off, as well as cure all Malarial Diseases, and for all Kidney, Liver and Stomach disorders stands unequalled. Price, 25¢ and 50¢ at Hodgkinson's.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. I have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the household with a cough, cold, or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottle free at S. J. Hodgkinson's.

Oregon is one of the most productive States in the Union. Its vast mineral regions contain gold, silver, copper, iron and coal. Its immense tracts of grazing lands support thousands of cattle and sheep, and its extensive agricultural regions produce all the cereals in abundance, the yield per acre being in some instances the largest in the world. Among the useful and valuable products of the Weibull State may be mentioned Oregon Kidney Tea, which has proved a boon to thousands afflicted with pain in the back and kidney difficulties. It is purely of vegetable composition and never fails. Sold by William F. Rogers.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25¢ per box. For sale by Hodgkinson & Co., druggists.

The immediate symptoms of Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, are a distressing sense of weight, oppression and fullness in the stomach, heartburn, loss of appetite, foul breath, belching, flatulency, nausea, pains in the shoulders and breast. Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic promotes healthy digestion and removes all unhealthy symptoms. Sold by William F. Rogers.

It should be generally known that Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic insures a hearty appetite and increased digestion, dispels nervous depression and low spirits, overcomes lack of energy and wakefulness, and will infuse new life and strength into the weakest invalid. Sold by William F. Rogers.

An Extended Popularity. Brown's BRONCHIAL TROUCES have for many years been the most popular article in use for relieving Coughs and Throat troubles.

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